1	2	3	4	5
14.	Khambhat	24·25	—	24·25
15.	Kalol Saij	30·00	10·00	40 00
16.	Sanand	8·00	—	8·00
17.	Dehgam	15 00	—	15 00
18.	Dessa	—	12·15	12·15
19.	Mahuva	—	4·50	4·50
		428·67	52·11	480·78

Import of edible oil

465. SHRI VITHALBHAI MOTIRAM PATEL: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are importing edible oil to meet its requirements;

(b) the countries from where edible oil have been imported and in what quantity during the last three years; and

(c) what was the price of imported edible oil per tonne during the above period?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). The names of the countries from which the edible oils are normally shipped are as follows:—

Oil	Countries
Soyabean Oil	USA, Brazil, Argentina and Europe
Rapeseed Oil	Canada & Europe
Palm Oil	Malaysia and Indonesia

The quantity and average CIF price per tonne of edible oils imported during the last three financial years is as under:—

Financial Year	Quantity (in lakh tonnes)	Approx. Average CIF Price Rs. PMT.
1984-85	15·85	8259
1985-86	10·80	7120
1986-87 (April-December)	10·80 (Provisional)	3935